

THE TRUE DEMOCRAT.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Hon. Robt. McNamee, of Tampa, was the city this week.

Mr. Geo. Lewis has returned from a weeks outing at Lanark.

Miss Margaret Cotton left Monday for her summer outing in North Carolina.

Mr. D. M. Lutz left Thursday for a summer trip to his old home at Hagerstown, Md.

New lot of umbrellas and parasols cheap at Evans.

Dr. C. M. Ausley has bought an interest in the turpentine business of Mr. H. J. Richardson.

Mr. Ed. Rainey and family left for South Carolina last week where he will make his future home.

LaConte pear shipments are going forward to the market now every day, and good prices are reported.

Embroidery greatly reduced next week at Evans.

Mr. J. W. McCord and daughter, Miss Pearl, have gone to Hampton Springs to spend two weeks.

Mrs. F. R. Lamb, proprietress of the New Leon hotel will leave on an extended trip to California about the first of July.

Oriental lace in white and cream just in at R. J. Evans.

Senator Zim, of St. Augustine, was at the capital this week looking after the interests of St. Augustine before the Board of Control.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter M. Lowry are pleasantly domiciled in the Spiller cottage on East Call street formerly occupied by Mr. Ed. Rainey.

The numerous parties constantly passing through here, bound for the Gulf, attest to the popularity of our seacoast resorts amongst our Georgia friends.

The perfection of light-running sewing machines—the ball-bearing Wheeler & Wilson. Sold by L. C. Yaeger.

Miss Clem Hampton expects to leave Saturday for Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, N. J., to attend the annual convention of the National Education Association which meets there July 3-7.

New shirt waist linen 25c., at R. J. Evans.

George Haile has sold his fish market business to Frank Alexander and he will take charge Monday, July 3d. Mr. Haile returns thanks to his customers for the patronage they have given him in the past and asks them to continue to trade with his successor in business.

Hon. John W. Henderson as mayor, representing the city, accompanied by a committee of the fire company consisting of Mr. George E. Lewis, Dr. F. Clifford Moore and Mr. Lewis M. Lively went to Atlanta Tuesday for the purpose of putting Tallahassee's claims for a lower rate of insurance before the Southern Tariff Association. Dr. Moore was unexpectedly detained at the last moment and could not go with the committee.

Easybright cleans everything to be found at L. C. Yaeger's.

We have been informed that the negro who plead guilty and was fined by Judge Whitfield for selling fish caught at Lake Miccosukie made a regular business of buying and selling fish from that lake. On the occasion for which he was fined he had bought a "wagon load" and took them to Lloyds and shipped them to Quincy, and there sold them. Of course such a wholesale transaction should be stopped or our lakes would soon be depleted of their fish.

Pensacola Journal: Mrs. Charles B. Parkhill left Thursday morning for Tallahassee where the family will reside now that Judge Parkhill has been called to the supreme bench. To say that Pensacola as a community regrets to lose Judge Parkhill and his family is but to repeat the refrain of a lamentation heard ever since the plan to reside in the capital city was announced. It is comforting to know they are going among old friends instead of strangers, whose welcome will make it a real home-coming, from the time of their arrival. Tallahassee is to be sincerely congratulated.

We are told that the cooking range peddlers took 18 or more orders for ranges in less than two days in this county last week, at a cost of about \$60 per range. If the parties who purchased will get prices from our home dealers, they will find they could have saved at least half of it and the money would have been kept at home to help push business affairs. Is it good business policy to give your patronage to these traveling fakers and get stuck on something your home dealers will always give you at better prices?

Deputy Sheriff Poppell is making a John Pearce reputation for himself. Within two weeks he has won \$250 in rewards for the arrest of criminals. His latest exploit was to capture Ed. Williams, a State convict who had been sent to the State asylum as a lunatic, and escaped from there. Williams was sentenced in Duval county for assault with intent to murder, to five years in the convict camps. The capture was made near Zachary's mill on Monday. At the time of the arrest of Williams, he also arrested on suspicion a white man who was with Williams, and on looking up his record found that he was one William Kennedy who escaped from the Central Hospital for convicts located near Ocala, for whom a reward of \$100 was offered by the Florida Naval Stores company.

MURDER AT SMITH CREEK.

Allen Geoghagan Shot and Killed by Howard Stanford, a Negro.

From our own correspondent.

Smith Creek, June 24.—Mr. Allen Geoghagan was shot and killed about 5 p. m. today by Howard Stanford (colored). Eye witnesses say that Stanford was mad with a negro laborer of Saucer & Yager and had sent for his breech-loader to "fix" him. Mr. Geoghagan went out to talk to Sanford and was persuading him not to have any trouble with the boy about a one dollar axe. As Mr. Geoghagan got through talking and started back to the commissary, the negro began cursing him, and Mr. Geoghagan turned round. Stanford fired, the load of buckshot entering his breast, and he fell and died without speaking.

Stanford started to run. Mr. Noah Langston was standing close by, and commenced to shoot at Stanford, who returned the fire, one of Stanford's shots just missing Mr. Langston, and one buckshot hitting Charles Henry in the breast. Stanford entered the spirit shed and continued shooting from there at the crowd. Every negro that had a gun was there and all were busy. They made it too warm for Stanford, and he broke through the side of the shed towards the river, with about twenty whites and negroes in pursuit.

Stanford was captured before he had run 400 yards. Being exhausted, Mr. Saucer took him in his buggy to the cooper shop, where he was placed under guard and a magistrate, Justice of the Peace R. Don McLeod, Jr., of Sopchoppy, who held an inquest, committing Stanford to jail without bail.

Much credit is due to the colored people who aided in the capture of Stanford and helped to guard him.

IAMONIA NEWS.

While Rev. E. E. Rose, of Brinson Charge, South Georgia Conference went to Pavo, to attend the district conference of the Thomasville district, his wife spent the week visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Dickey. "Uncle Billy" Dickey being a delegate to the district conference, went to Metcalfe and took the train for Pavo, Ga. He returned last Saturday and reports a fine meeting, full attendance and delegates royally entertained.

Mrs. G. W. Trice, of Panacea, accompanied by Miss Florrie Howell, came by train from Tallahassee by way of Monticello and Metcalfe to visit relatives and friends in this vicinity. On Friday last Miss Howell returned to her home. Mrs. Trice remained at Mr. Ferrell's until last Sunday, when she went to visit her parents at Dogwood, where she will remain a week or so, before returning to Panacea. Her sister, Mrs. Ferrell joined her in the visit to Dogwood on Sunday.

Deo Volente, the annual picnic, will take place on the 4th day of July next, at the Iamonia Lake Basin. Come everybody, bringing well filled baskets and let us have a good time.

The weather at this time promises to give the farmers a fair chance to clean out their cotton patches.

Last Friday Mr. E. J. Dickey, with Miss Janie Lou Doss, went on a visit to relatives in the capital city.

The News of Meridian.

Meridian, June 27:

Thinking a few lines from here might interest some of your readers, I herewith scribble a few, to let our friends see what is going on here.

Mr. Robert Whitfield, on the Walker plantation, is preparing to put up some improved machinery to gin cotton, etc. He has four or five acres of tobacco growing. He is a hustler.

Messrs. Andrew and McDermid have about five acres of fine Cuba tobacco which they will soon be cutting. Mr. Charlie Bell has about four or five acres of tobacco. He is the dairyman here and is now milking from 20 to 30 cows. He has a fine pasture on Iamonia Lake.

Messrs. R. J. and W. T. Bannerman and Will Crum are now busy gathering their fine cheese cloth, irrigated Sumatra tobacco. The crop consists of 12 or 12 1/2 acres, and is a pretty sight now. It is all the talk here, and people flock to see it. Their plant of pump, sawmill, pipes and troughs work very nicely. They have one barn full now, and will probably fill another this week. These Leon county boys deserve to succeed, for they have risked a good deal, and their untiring efforts are showing up in the nice crop on hand. We have been expecting some of our Tallahassee friends to visit us and take a look at the only plant of the kind in the county. We feel proud of the business and hope they will succeed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Miccosukie are visiting here now.

Mr. R. C. Bannerman and wife were over Sunday on a visit to his parents. He is superintendent on Santa Maria plantation, one of the "Owls" tobacco farms in Gadsden and reports a fine crop.

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See notice of the legal sale of the R. L. Collins' Drug Store Stock and fixtures in another column.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY.

Package Car Service from Atlanta to Florida Points.

Portsmouth, Va., May 10, 1905.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway announces the inauguration of through Package Car Service, Atlanta, Ga., to Jacksonville, Fla., proper, and Florida territory. Car leaves Atlanta at 2.00 p. m. daily (except Sundays), arrives Jacksonville 5.30 p. m., following afternoon, schedule of 2 1/2 hours. Shipments will be ready for delivery at our freight depot, foot of Julia street, Jacksonville, early following morning.

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Woodmen of the World.

The Woodmen of the World of Tallahassee held a very interesting meeting last Thursday evening, several matters of interest to that fraternal order being discussed. There was quite a good attendance and a very pleasant evening was spent. At the close those present enjoyed a watermelon cutting, a plentiful supply having been provided by subscription from those present. It is desired to make the Woodmen meetings so interesting as to bring out a full attendance. This lodge has a good membership in Tallahassee and there is also a nice lodge at Woodville and the order a lodge safe and very reasonable insurance. It is earnestly desired to run the membership of these two lodges to the hundreds. If you wish to join a fraternal order that is doing much good all over the United States in furnishing protection to families of its membership, at a low rate, ask some member of the Woodmen to tell you all about it and carry in your application at the next meeting.

If you have dependants take out some insurance in the Woodmen of the World, the Macabees or the Fraternal Union of America. These fraternal orders all give you safe insurance at the lowest rates.

Mothers' Meeting.

At the residence of Mrs. C. B. Gwynn last Friday afternoon, the Tallahassee W. C. T. U. held a most interesting and helpful Mothers' Meeting. Personal invitations were sent out a few days previous and many mothers responded by their presence. The numbers on the program were carried out in a pleasing and creditable manner, and everyone present felt helped and strengthened for more effectual service and more conscientious activity in this, the greatest of all earth's vocations. The bible reading on Obedience was ably and aptly rendered.

The paper on "How Much Do You Love Your Children?" was a series of well selected incidents from life, vividly portraying the unselfish and untiring devotion of the parent heart, and tactfully pointing out some of the dangers and pitfalls to which the objects of this love are daily exposed.

A beautiful selection was given by Messrs Calhoun and Curry on the piano and violin. Nothing added more to the pleasure of those present than the music contributed by these gifted young ladies.

Mrs. Shackleford gave "Two Pictures Sketched from Life" in her usual attractive way. These pictures fitly illustrated the results of both just and unjust treatment of children, and proved beyond question that a proper consideration of children's rights and the exercise of perfect honesty with them, always pays both parent and child.

"Goodnight, Little Girl, Goodnight," a solo with violin obbligato was much enjoyed and appreciated. The soliloquy of a little boy who had been misunderstood and unjustly punished, was effectively rendered by Mrs. Knott.

"Mother," a solo by Mrs. Perkins, was beautifully and impressively sung and much enjoyed.

General discussion was followed by dainty refreshments and social chat. Many lingered until nearly dark and all were much indebted to Mrs. Gwynn for her kind hospitality.

Panacea Springs Bill of Fare.

As evidence of the fact that guests at Panacea Springs hotel are getting something good to eat, read last Sunday's bill of fare:

Dinner: Oysters on the half shell, baked sheep head, deviled crabs, sliced tomatoes, mixed pickles, fried chicken, cream gravy, Irish stew, macaroni and cheese, coconut fritters, vanilla sauce, steamed rice, new potatoes, corn on the cob, fresh butter beans, egg bread, wheat bread, peach pie, watermelon on ice, cheese, crackers, tea, milk, coffee.

Breakfast: Canteloupe, oat meal, grape nuts, force, shredded wheat biscuits, malta vita, fried chicken, Southern style, fried oysters, eggs to order, grits, French fried potatoes, hot biscuits, corn muffins, flannel cakes, home made lightbread, tea, milk, coffee.

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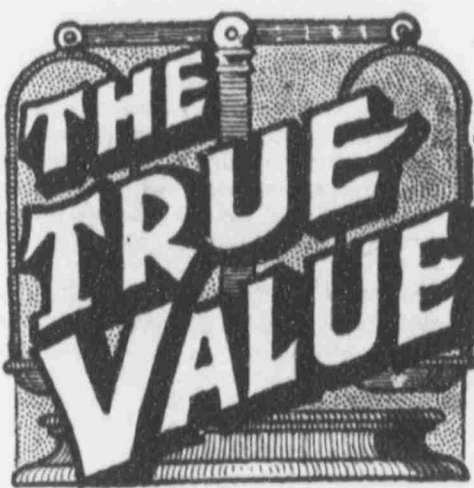
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